DATE: August 23, 2004 TO: Interested Parties

FROM: Tom Gilevich, Counsel, HMO Help Center

RE: Clinical Advisory Panel Meeting



The Department of Managed Health Care (Department) is holding the next Clinical Advisory Panel (CAP) Meeting on **September 7, 2004 from 10:00 AM until 4:00 PM**. The meeting will be held at a different location - the Joe Serna Jr/CalEPA Headquarters Building, 1001 "I" Street, Sacramento, CA in downtown Sacramento. The meeting room is on the 2nd floor, the Sierra Hearing Room. Parking is available behind the US Bank Plaza Building on "J" Street, between 8th and 9th Streets.

There will be three main topics on the CAP agenda. Scheduled first is the Independent Medical Review (IMR) Update, reporting aggregate information regarding the Department's IMR operations. The second agenda item will focus on IMR cases relating to Autism and similar disorders. Agenda item number three will discuss the Department's regulation concerning Standing Referral to the HIV/AIDS Specialists.

To review this notice, as well as the agenda, please go to the CAP webpage at www.hmohelp.ca.gov/boards/cap/. Thank you for your interest in the Department of Managed Health Care.

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